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**PUBLIC NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE**  
**Arizona Early Childhood Development & Health Board**  
**Santa Cruz Regional Partnership Council**

Pursuant to A.R.S. §8-1194(A) and A.R.S. §38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the First Things First - Arizona Early Childhood Development & Health Board, Santa Cruz Regional Partnership Council and to the general public that the Council will hold a ***Regular Meeting open to the public on October 1, beginning at 3:30 p.m., and will be located at Peña Blanca Elementary School, 131 Camino Maricopa, Rio Rico, Arizona 85648.*** Some members of the Council may elect to attend telephonically.

*Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03 (A) (1), A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A) (2) and A.R.S. § 38-431.03 (A) (3), the Regional Partnership Council may vote to go into Executive Session, which will not be open to the public, to discuss personnel items, records exempt from public inspection and/or to obtain legal advice.*

*The Regional Partnership Council may hear items on the agenda out of order. The Regional Partnership Council may discuss, consider, or take action regarding any item on the agenda. The Regional Partnership Council may elect to solicit public comment on certain agenda items.*

The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

**1. Call to Order /Welcome**

**Bill Kirkpatrick, Chair**

**2. Call to the Public**

**Bill Kirkpatrick, Chair**

*This is the time for the public to comment. Members of the Council may not discuss or take legal action regarding matters that are not specifically identified on the agenda. Therefore, pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.01(H), action taken as a result of public comment will be limited to directing staff to study the matter, responding to any criticism or scheduling the matter for further consideration and decision at a later date.*

**3. Approval of the Minutes**

**Bill Kirkpatrick, Chair**

- A. Meeting Minutes Sept. 17, 2012

**4. Presentation: Quality First**

**Bill Kirkpatrick, Chair**  
**Brooke VanDeVelde, QF Coordinator**  
**Leslie Totten, QF Coordinator**

**5. Fiscal Year 2014 Strategic Planning Discussion**

**Francisco Padilla, Regional Director**  
**Erin Lyons, Senior Director**

**6. Regional Director's Report**

**Francisco Padilla, Regional Director**  
**Erin Lyons, Senior Director**

- A. Community Awareness Update  
B. Expenditure Report

**7. Regional Council and Staff Announcements**

**Bill Kirkpatrick, Chair**

**8. General Discussion**

**Bill Kirkpatrick, Chair**

*The Council may engage in general discussion regarding items of possible interest as new business, regarding the agency's mission, goals, initiatives and priorities and strategies. The Council's discussion may include First Things First staff members. No official action will be taken at this time; any matters deemed appropriate for future action will be placed on a future agenda for deliberation and a possible vote.*

**9. Meeting Reminder/Adjourn**

**Bill Kirkpatrick, Chair**

November 5, 2012 at 3:30 p.m.  
Sonshine Christian Preschool  
1916 N. Frank Reed Rd.  
Nogales, AZ 85621

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**Dated this 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2012**

**ARIZONA EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT & HEALTH BOARD**

**Santa Cruz Regional Partnership Council**



**Francisco J. Padilla,  
Regional Director**